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					Killed	Injured	Property Crops	
<u>ILLINOIS, Central</u>								
Schuyler County								
Camden	04	0718CST			0	0	0	Hail(1.00)
Schuyler County								
Camden	04	0718CST			0	0	0	Thunderstorm Wind (EG61)
Thunderstorm winds blew the roof off of a shed, blew over a light pole and numerous large tree limbs in Camden								
Fulton County								
1 NW Fairview to Canton	04	0750CST 0755CST			0	0	0	Thunderstorm Wind (EG50)
Thunderstorm winds blew down several trees, tree limbs and power lines northwest of Fairview and in Canton								
Tazewell County								
4 NE Delavan	04	0830CST			0	0	0	Thunderstorm Wind (EG56)
Numerous large tree limbs were blown down.								
Marshall County								
Toluca	04	0900CST			0	0	0	Hail(1.00)
Vermilion County								
Bismarck	04	1300CST			0	0	0	Hail(0.75)
Schuyler County								
Camden to Rushville	04	1330CST 1350CST			0	0	0	Hail(0.75)
Menard County								
Oakford	04	1404CST			0	0	0	Hail(1.50)
Tazewell County								
East Peoria	04	1413CST			0	0	0	Hail(0.75)
Mason County								
2 S Saidora to 2 N Mason City	04	1420CST 1430CST			0	0	0	Hail(2.00)
The largest hail stones fell in the Kilbourne area.								
Cass County								
6 NE Chandlerville	04	1429CST			0	0	0	Hail(1.75)
Mason County								
Kilbourne	04	1430CST			0	0	0	Thunderstorm Wind (EG55)
Several trees were blown down on Illinois Route 97 in Kilbourne.								
Menard County								
1 W Oakford to 3 N Greenview	04	1434CST 1449CST			0	0	0	Thunderstorm Wind (EG55)
Thunderstorm winds blew a car off the road. No injuries were reported. Also, a utility pole was snapped off 3 miles north of Greenview.								
Menard County								
2 E Oakford	04	1436CST			0	0	0	Hail(2.00)
Tazewell County								
3 W Green Vly	04	1440CST			0	0	0	Hail(1.75)
Tazewell County								
3 E South Pekin	04	1456CST			0	0	0	Hail(0.75)
Logan County								
New Holland to Burton View	04	1505CST 1507CST			0	0	0	Hail(1.75)
Woodford County								
1 E Secor	04	1505CST			0	0	0	Hail(0.75)



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Logan County

6 W Lincoln to 5 W Lincoln 04 1508CST 1509CST 1 30 0 0 50K 0 Tornado (F1)

A tornado touched down 6 miles west of Lincoln. It damaged a garage and the roof of a home it was attached to. Also, several trees were blown down and a grain bin was blown into a barn. It was on the ground for a mile before lifting and dissipating. No injuries were reported.

Logan County

.5 N Atlanta 04 1511CST 0.1 10 0 0 0 0 Tornado (F0)

A tornado briefly touched down in a field just north of Atlanta. No damage or injuries were reported.

Logan County

3 NW Lincoln to Lincoln Logan Co Arp 04 1512CST 1517CST 0 0 300K 0 Thunderstorm Wind (EG87)

A microburst began on the northwest side of Lincoln near the intersection of Illinois Route 10 and I-55 and quickly moved east across the northern portions of town. Numerous large trees were blown over, some onto homes causing damage. Also, a construction trailer was destroyed, a 150 foot communications tower was blown down, a hotel sustained roof and siding damage, several garages were destroyed, 8 power poles were broken off along Lincoln Parkway, and minor roofing and shingle damage occurred. One business lost a portion of its roof and numerous business signs were damaged. Nine mobile homes were destroyed and six others sustained damage. No injuries were reported. The National Weather Service office recorded a 62 mph wind gust on the east side of town.

Morgan County

Waverly 04 1515CST 0 0 0 Hail(1.75)

McLean County

.5 SW Mc Lean 04 1520CST 0.1 10 0 0 0 0 Tornado (F0)

A tornado briefly touched down in a field. No damage or injuries were reported.

Sangamon County

Loami to 4 N Chatham 04 1522CST 1533CST 0 0 0 Hail(0.75)

Logan County

1.5 SW Lawndale to Atlanta 04 1523CST 1525CST 0 0 0 Thunderstorm Wind (EG50)

Thunderstorm winds blew down 8 large power poles along old Route 66 just south of Lawndale and blew over a semi on I-55 at the Atlanta exit. No injuries were reported.

Sangamon County

Pleasant Plains to Cantrall 04 1523CST 1538CST 0 0 0 Hail(1.75)

Tazewell County

East Peoria 04 1525CST 1530CST 0 0 0 Hail(0.75)

McLean County

Shirley to 4 ESE Bloomington 04 1530CST 1537CST 0 0 0 Hail(1.75)

Menard County

6 S Petersburg 04 1531CST 0 0 0 Hail(1.50)

De Witt County

4 W Wapella to Clinton 04 1535CST 1548CST 0 0 0 Hail(1.75)

De Witt County

1 S Wapella 04 1548CST 0.1 10 0 0 0 0 Tornado (F0)

A tornado briefly touched down in a field. No damage or injuries were reported.



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De Witt County										
2 WNW De Witt	04	1553CST	0.3	30	0	0		0	Tornado (F0)	
A tornado touched down on a farm. It destroyed a barn, a windmill, a pontoon boat and numerous trees. Three horses sustained minor injuries from the tornado. No people sustained injuries.										
Logan County										
Cornland	04	1618CST			0	0		0	Hail(1.00)	
Mclean County										
Bellflower	04	1620CST			0	0		0	Hail(0.75)	
Champaign County										
6 N Mahomet to Rantoul	04	1628CST 1641CST			0	0		0	Hail(1.75)	
Macon County										
3 NE Decatur	04	1653CST			0	0		0	Hail(0.75)	
Macon County										
1 S Decatur	04	1653CST			0	0		0	Thunderstorm Wind (EG52)	
Several trees were blown down.										
Mclean County										
1 E Funks Grove	04	1715CST			0	0		0	Hail(0.88)	
Champaign County										
Ivesdale to 2 SW Philo	04	1738CST 1752CST			0	0		0	Hail(0.88)	
Logan County										
Latham	04	1738CST			0	0		0	Hail(1.00)	
Douglas County										
Arthur to 7 ENE Arthur	04	1800CST 1810CST			0	0		0	Hail(1.00)	
Piatt County										
2 N Mansfield	04	1817CST			0	0		0	Hail(1.75)	
Effingham County										
4 W Edgewood	04	1831CST			0	0		0	Hail(0.75)	
Champaign County										
2 N Fisher	04	1833CST			0	0		0	Hail(0.75)	
Edgar County										
1 W Hume	04	1835CST	0.1	10	0	0	0	0	Tornado (F0)	
A tornado briefly touched down in a field. No damage or injuries were reported.										
Vermilion County										
Ridge Farm to 4 E Ridge Farm	04	1850CST 1855CST			0	0		0	Hail(0.88)	
Clay County										
5 N Louisville to Louisville	04	1855CST 1915CST			0	0		0	Hail(1.75)	
Morgan County										
1 N Jacksonville	16	1958CST			0	0		0	Thunderstorm Wind (EG50)	
A large tree was blown down on the north side of town.										
Vermilion County										
Rossville to 2 E Rossville	21	0400CST 0405CST			0	0	40K	0	Thunderstorm Wind (EG57)	
Thunderstorm winds uprooted several large trees, destroyed an above ground pool and destroyed several sheds.										



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Sangamon County Loami	24	1705CST			0	0			Hail(1.00)
Sangamon County Springfield	24	1745CST			0	0			Hail(1.00)
Sangamon County Springfield	24	1745CST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (EG52)
Clay County Louisville to Bible Grove	24	1922CST 1935CST			0	0			Hail(1.75)
Effingham County Edgewood to Mason	24	2000CST 2018CST			0	0			Hail(0.75)
Clay County 1 N Sailor Spgs	24	2005CST			0	0			Hail(0.75)
Jasper County West Liberty	24	2020CST			0	0			Hail(1.75)
Richland County 3 NW Olney	24	2100CST			0	0			Hail(0.75)
Clay County 3 W Flora to Flora	28	1300CST 1305CST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (EG52)
Thunderstorm winds blew down several trees, one of which landed on a house causing minor damage. A couple of roofs were damaged and power lines were blown down. No injuries were reported									
Menard County Petersburg	30	0430CST			0	0			Hail(0.75)
Knox County 3 W Altona to 3 W Williamsfield	30	1922CST 1932CST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (EG50)
Thunderstorm winds blew down numerous trees, tree limbs, power poles and power lines. Also, a 150 foot long grain leg on a grain bin was destroyed near Altona, as well as part of the roof of a nearby barn									
Knox County 6 NE Victoria to 7 NE Victoria	30	1930CST 1931CST	1	10	0	0	0	0	Tornado (F0)
A tornado briefly touched down in a field northeast of Victoria and was on the ground for about a mile. No damage or injuries were reported with this tornado.									
Knox County Victoria	30	2025CST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (EG50)
Several power lines were blown down in Victoria.									
Stark County 3 ESE Castleton	30	2045CST			0	0			Hail(0.75)
Marshall County Henry	30	2110CST			0	0			Hail(0.75)
Marshall County Henry	30	2110CST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (EG50)
Several trees were blown down.									
Knox County North Portion	30	2130CST 2230CST			0	0			Flash Flood
Between 1 and 3 inches of rain fell in a short amount of time over the northern half of Knox county. Numerous secondary roads and									



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field were flooded for an hour or so. No injuries were reported.